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JOINT STATE-DEFENSE MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, LE

SUBJECT: LEBANON SURVEY TEAM

REF: BEIRUT 126

1. WE ESTIMATE THAT TEAM WILL COST IN THE ORDER OF
DOLS 55,000, BASED ON A FIVE-MEMBER TEAM SPENDING ABOUT
THREE WEEKS IN COUNTRY. FINAL COST MAY BE HIGHER. YOU
SHOULD MAKE SURE KHOURY UNDERSTANDS THIS IS PRELIMINARY
ESTIMATE.

2. TEAM WILL BE HEADED BY O-6 OFFICER (COLONEL). FINAL
COMPOSITION NOT SET. MEMBERS SELECTED WILL BE PREPARED TO
COVER ALL AREAS OF INTEREST TO KHOURY LISTED IN REFTEL
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WITH EXCEPTION OF NAVAL AND AVIATION ASPECTS. WE BELIEVE
IT MAKES MORE SENSE TO CONCENTRATE ON GROUND FORCES AT
THIS POINT, AND YOU MAY TELL KHOURY THIS.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: WE NEED A FORMAL REQUEST FROM
KHOURY AND/OR BOUTROS THAT THE TEAM COME BEFORE PROCEEDING
FURTHER IN PREPARING LETTER OF OFFER. VANCE

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